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> Re: Access road improvement to Edgar John Claims. DOE/037/018

Dear Ms. Jackson:

Thank you for copying the operating plans to the Division for the proposed road improvement to the Edgar John Claims. As the drilling operation is located in Colorado and only road work will occur in Utah, the Division will accept the proposal as exempt as specified in Rule M-2 (e) of the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

K. Michael Thompson Engineering Geologist

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